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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Review Committee  
THRU: Comptroller  
FROM: Chief, Medical Staff  
SUBJECT: Request for Budget Increase for X-Ray Equipment

1. It is requested that \$7,500 be added to the Medical Office budget for the purpose of purchasing and installing a Photo Roentgen (X-Ray) Unit.
2. The Medical Office, in addition to the other administrative offices, has been requested to make adequate preparation for the EOD processing of approximately three times the present workload.
3. To accomplish this, the Medical Office has already been given the additional space required and has promise of sufficient personnel. The present X-Ray equipment cannot adequately serve total demands.
4. The Medical Office has proposed as a solution to this problem the purchasing of a piece of equipment that is not only the least expensive possible but is especially designed for rapid screening of large numbers of personnel.
5. Any additional justification would concern itself with a debate regarding the relative merits of various pieces of equipment which would appear to be unnecessary based on medical judgment.

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